

## **NEXT STEPS WORK GROUP CALL SCHEDULE - PY 2009-2010**

The Next Steps Work Group (NSWG) is a voluntary information-sharing network comprised state CTE and Office of Vocational and Adult Education (OVAE) staff to dialog topics of common interest related to Perkins IV compliance and data reporting. NSWG is an advisory forum to OVAE's Accountability and Performance Branch and can offer recommendations to OVAE for consideration. Subgroups may be formed as necessary to address specific topics in depth. Call summaries are prepared and attempt to capture discussion, questions, and comments but are <u>not</u> intended to be a definitive source of specific OVAE policy. Conference calls are typically held on the first Thursday of each month (except July) from 2 pm - 3 pm ET.

Call Date	Call Number	Call ID	Tentative Topic
October 1, 2009	1-888-751-0624	442772	<ul> <li>State preparation for Data Quality Institute</li> <li>Local performance negotiations and effective negotiation practices</li> </ul>
November 5, 2009	1-888-751-0624	442772	<ul> <li>CAR submission and EDEN transition</li> <li>Tech Prep data submission and local Tech Prep reporting</li> </ul>
December 3, 2009	No Call		Data Quality Meeting, December 1-2-3, 2009 The Conference Center at the Maritime Institute   Baltimore MD
January 7, 2010	1-888-751-0624	442772	<ul> <li>Follow-up to DQM Homework</li> <li>Performance Based CTE Funding</li> <li>Tentative Webinar</li> </ul>
February 4, 2010	1-888-751-0624	442772	<ul> <li>Review of 2009 CAR submission</li> <li>2P1 and 3P1 relationship and 100% performance goal</li> </ul>
March 4, 2010	1-888-751-0624	442772	GAO report briefing and NACTE  Tentative Webinar
April 1, 2010	1-888-751-0624	442772	<ul> <li>Implementation of technical skill assessments and measuring 2S1 and 1P1—reports from selected states</li> </ul>
May 6, 2010	1-888-751-0624	442772	<ul> <li>Local Uses of Data</li> <li>Postsecondary benchmarking—implications for CTE</li> </ul>
June 3, 2010	1-888-751-0624	442772	Negotiation, monitoring, and evaluation of Tech Prep Consortia
July 8, 2010	1-888-751-0624	442772	Negotiation, monitoring, and evaluation of Basic Grant Consortia
August 5, 2010	1-888-751-0624	442772	<ul> <li>Program of Study accountability indicators and outcomes: Lessons from Tech Prep</li> <li>Tentative Webinar</li> </ul>
September 2, 2010	1-888-751-0624	442772	<ul> <li>Update on 2009-2010 Technical Assistance to States</li> <li>NSWG Topic Planning for 2010-2011</li> </ul>